

Congress of the United States House of Representatives

Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Cranberry Township Route 19 Waterline Replacement in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Cranberry Township located at 2525 Rochester Road, Cranberry Township, PA 16066. The funding would be used for a waterline replacement along Route 19 in Cranberry Township. This project will complete the waterline replacement along Route 19 from Dutihl Road to Ogle View Road. Phase one will replace 4,100 linear feet of 6-inch, 8-inch and 12inch cast iron pipe with ductile iron or PVC waterline. Phase two will continue the waterline replacement from Ogle View Road to Ernie Mashuda Drive along Route 19. When finished a total of 7.000 linear feet of existing waterline will be replaced along the Route 19 corridor in the Township. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Route 19 waterline is at a high risk to fail due to age, amount of line breaks per segment and the number of customers affected by this line. Cranberry Township's water system provides an average of 2.5 million gallons per day and serves approximately 11,000 customers or 90% of residents. The Township currently owns, operates, and maintains approximately 195 miles of transmission and distribution lines, three storage tanks, and one pump station.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Mike Kelly

Member of Congress